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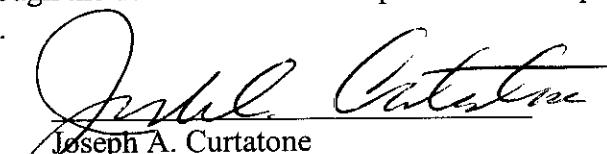
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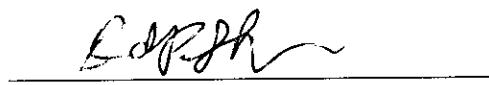
ELIZABETH TROIANI, individually and on behalf)
 of her minor son, PAUL ANTHONY HART,)
 Plaintiffs)
 v.)
 CITY OF SOMERVILLE, CHIEF DONALD)
 CALIGURI, CAPTAIN DANIEL MATTHEWS,)
 SERGEANT JOHN AUFIERO, DANIEL F. REGO,)
 JAMES McNALLY, ANTHONY MANZELLI,)
 THOMAS LEYNE and JOHN DOE(S),)
 Defendants.)

**DEFENDANT, CITY OF SOMERVILLE'S
CERTIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOCAL RULE 16.4**

The undersigned hereby affirm they have conferred regarding the following aspects of this matter:

1. establishment of a budget for the cost of conducting the full course, and various alternative courses, of the litigation; and
2. the resolution of the litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs such as those outlined in LR 16.4.


 Joseph A. Curtatone
 Mayor, City of Somerville

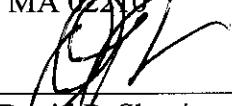

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